



**THE DATE WAS** Aug. 30, 1906 and the Black Hawk War Veterans in Utah held their annual encampment at the Provo Lake Resort, west of Provo on the shores of Utah Lake. The veterans and their families are shown in the foreground with

the resort stretching out behind them. Note the horses, buggies and wagons that were used as transportation. (Photo courtesy of Vernal Meldrum, Provo)

# Black Hawk War Veterans' Society

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Back in 1919, Peter Gottfredson, veteran of the Black Hawk War, published a little book that took over 20 years in the making. Its title is History of Indian Depredations in Utah. In it he gives not only his personal experiences in connection with Indian affairs in Utah, but those

took the lives of about 70 white people and a large but unknown number of Indians.

The Black Hawk War Veterans' Organization, says Mr. Gottfredson in his book, came into existence when some of the Utah "warriors" met at the public square in Springville

on July 4, 1893, to talk about the past. From this Springville group with such leaders as George Harrison, Edwin Lee, Albert Harmer, Frances Beardall, and Walter Wheeler, evolved the state organization known as the Utah Indian War Veterans' Association, under

whose auspices the great encampment of 1900 was held.

It was at the first meeting in 1893 that a date was set for January 25, 1894, to invite all former veterans to come to a reunion.

Thus began what was to lead to the first annual "en-



## Author to Talk To Timpanogos Knife, Forkers

Robert Kazmayer, author, editor, and world traveler, will be the guest speaker Monday evening at the meeting of the Timpanogos Knife and Fork Club. The dinner will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Sky Room of the Wilkinson Center on BYU campus, according to Clair Cord, club president.

Mr. Kazmayer recently returned from another observation trip to many important spots in Asia, Europe, and Latin America. He is recognized as one of the most popular speakers on the American platform.

Tops among the nation's fluent analytical commentators, Kazmayer will bring members of the club, a recent report on world conditions with emphasis on the puzzling and confusing situation in four continents.

## KILLS TO JOINT GANG

**CHESHUNT, England (UPI)**—A teen-ager who admitted he murdered his employer in order to become eligible to join the "Hell's Angels" was sentenced to life imprisonment Thursday. Dermot Ames, 17, confessed he clubbed to death a 61-year-old grocer last December to prove his bravery to the gang.



# Provo Easter Egg Hunt Set

An Easter Egg Hunt will be sponsored by the Provo Jaycees on March 28 in the Pioneer Park, and all children between the ages of 1 through 8 are invited to begin hunting promptly at 10 a.m., according to Ron Fackler, Jaycee president.

"Last year some kids came about ten minutes late and there wasn't anything left for them," said Bert Mitchell, chairman of the event.

A new innovation will be incorporated in the hunt this year along with the usual special prizes, and that is that a special area will be designated for three different age groups, 1 to 3, 4 to 6, and 7 to 8."

"This way the little kids won't get trampled by the big kids," Mr. Mitchell said.

## Kids, Don't Play With Shotgun Shells

The Provo Police Department has issued a warning to all youngsters who may have been playing with shotgun shells to stop this dangerous practice.

Kenneth Forshee, lieutenant of detectives for the police department, reports that several youngsters have been taping a marble onto the back of a shotgun shell and throwing it against the sidewalk or a brick

wall and setting off the shell.

"This is an extremely dangerous pastime for these children. Shells are unreliable and can explode just like shrapnel," Lt. Forshee said.

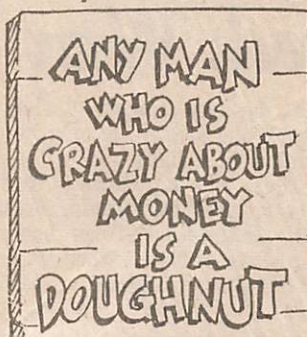
Lt. Forshee asks parents to check the supply of ammunition kept in the houses in Provo and make sure it is somewhere that children cannot reach and if possible locked up.

## East Sharon Stake Sets Conference

The East Sharon Stake of the LDS Church will hold quarterly conference Saturday and Sunday.

A stake leadership meeting will be held Saturday at 7 p.m. at the stake house. All unmarried young men and women 16 years of age and older, stake officials,

today's **FUNNY**



Diahann Carroll, NBC-TV's "Julia," says there are two ways to fight cancer: with a checkup (see your doctor) and a check (send your donation to the American Cancer Society). The actress-singer is one of hundreds of celebrities who are volunteers in the Society's April Crusade.

## Nebo Primary Gets New Stake Officer

**PAYSON** — Mary Lou Kimball has been sustained second counselor to Clela Barnett in the Nebo Stake Primary presidency, according to announcement made today. Mrs. Kimball succeeds Mrs. LaFonda Cook, who resigned due to ill health.

Mrs. Mary Rasmussen will remain as first counselor to Mrs.